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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), petition is made for a ONE (1) month extension of time to file the attached Amendment, in response to the Office Action dated December 11, 2006.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any further extension and/or fee that is required to Deposit Order Account 50-3381.

Respectfully submitted,

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